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Applicants): Nobuhiro Koike, et al.

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Date: November 8, 2004

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RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (IF REQUIRED)

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS** P.O. BOX 1450 **ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee is calculated as shown below:

Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest # Previously Paid For	# Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims:	68	77	0	\$18.00	\$
Independent Claims:	1	8	0	\$88.00	\$
1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims				\$300.00	\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT				\$	

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\boxtimes	No additional fee is required.					
	Applicant(s) petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for the tota number of months checked below.					
	Extension (Months) Fee For Large Entity One (1) Month \$110.00 Two (2) Months \$430.00 Three (3) Months \$980.00 Four (4) Months \$1530.00 FEE: \$					
\boxtimes	If an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor together with authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 19-2746 for any extension fee.					
	Relative to response to the Final Office Action, an extension for months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.					
\boxtimes	Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.					

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Respectfully submitted,

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